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Kuang-chou, 14 September (CNA) -- On 13 September 1949, Acting KMT President  
Li Tsung-jen made public the following proclamation in memory of the late Ch'en T'se:

With the passing of Ch'en T'se, China has lost a great leader. His magnificent  
work during peace and war will long be remembered.

During his youth, Ch'en joined a secret society, which was organized by Dr Sun  
Yat-sen to overthrow the Manchu Dynasty. Under Sun's orders, he commanded a naval  
fleet which ultimately defeated and captured 60-odd enemy vessels in the battle of  
Ch'en-chi-tang.

Later, he was appointed, concurrently, Fleet Commander of the Kwangtung Naval  
Fleet and Commandant of the Naval Academy. In subsequent years, he became Commander-  
in-Chief of the First Fleet and Commander of the Hu-men Fortified Area.

During World War II, he was assigned to Hong Kong as a military attache. While  
there, he assisted Allied officials in working out military strategies against the  
common enemy. After the war, he became Mayor of Kuang-chou. His last post before  
his death was that of Deputy Chief, Kuang-chou Pacification Bureau.

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